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Honorable Andrew L. Carter, Jr.
 United States District Court
 40 Foley Square
 New York, NY 10007

Re: *IEI Inc. v. ETG Capital LLC*, 19-cv-05049-ALC-HJR

Dear Judge Carter:

We represent Plaintiff IEI Inc. ("IEI") in the above-captioned action. We write jointly with Defendant ETG Capital, LLC's ("ETG") to respectfully request that the parties be permitted to file a joint pretrial order ("JPTO") no later than January 13, 2025. This is the parties' second request for an extension.

In an Order dated September 30, 2024, this Court granted ETG's motion for reargument and ordered the parties to file a joint status report no later than October 15, 2024. (ECF 112). Pursuant to the Court's Individual Practices, number 4(A), the parties were required to file a JPTO no later than thirty days from the Court's September 30, 2024 Order. On October 15, 2024, the parties filed a Joint Status Report, requesting that they be permitted to file the JPTO by November 15, 2024 because Defendant's counsel had obligations due to the Jewish holidays. In a letter dated November 11, 2024, the parties jointly requested an extension of time to file the JPTO to December 13, 2024, because the parties required additional time to work together toward coming to agreement any stipulations or agreed statements of fact or law. The Court so ordered the request on November 12, 2024. (ECF 116).

Since that time, the parties have engaged in productive communications concerning the issues in the JPTO, including exchanging initial exhibit lists. The progress has been slower than the parties anticipated due, in part, to the fact that Plaintiff's lead counsel had some immovable filing deadlines in other matters, and undersigned counsel required some time out of the office due to the death of a colleague and friend. After conferring and taking into consideration the parties' schedules and the holidays, the parties agreed that they will be able to finalize the JPTO no later than January 13, 2025. Accordingly, we respectfully request that that the parties be permitted to file a JPTO no later than January 13, 2025. We thank the Court for its consideration of the request.

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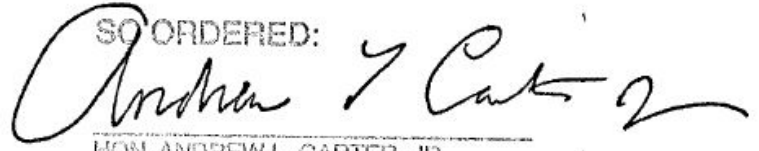
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SO ORDERED:

HON. ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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